

In the Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A portable electronic device ~~[[(1)]]~~ comprising: a housing ~~[[(3)]]~~ and at least one detachable cover element~~[[;]]~~ which together define an interior and an exterior of the electronic device; a (4) and being provided with strap-attaching means provided on the housing [[(3)]] for attaching a carrying strap ~~[[(2)]]~~ to the electronic device ~~(1)~~, ~~characterised in that~~, the strap-attaching means ~~[[is]]~~ being concealed in the interior of the device by the detachable cover element [[(4)]]; and ~~that an opening (10) giving configured to provide the carrying strap with access to a carrying strap (2) from outside of the electronic device (1) to the attaching means from the exterior of the electronic device is provided.~~

2. (Currently Amended) A portable electronic device according to claim 1, ~~characterised in that~~ wherein the strap-attaching means comprises an eyelet ~~[[(11)]]~~ provided in a ~~part~~ portion of the housing ~~[[(3)]]~~.

3. (Currently Amended) A portable electronic device according to claim 2, ~~characterised in that~~ wherein the eyelet ~~[[(11)]]~~ is ~~provided~~ in an inwardly protruding tongue ~~[[(12)]]~~ provided in the housing ~~[[(3)]]~~.

4. (Currently Amended) A portable electronic device according to claim 2, ~~characterised in that~~ wherein the eyelet ~~[[(11)]]~~ is provided at an inwardly facing portion ~~part~~ of a wall ~~[[(14)]]~~ of the housing ~~[[(3)]]~~.

5. (Currently Amended) A portable electronic device according to claim 1, ~~characterised in that that~~ wherein the strap-attaching means comprises a hook ~~[[(15)]]~~ provided inwardly in the housing ~~[[(3)]]~~.

6. (Currently Amended) A portable electronic device according to ~~any one of claims 1-5~~, ~~characterised in that~~ claim 1, further comprising a recess (8) is provided at an

edge of the detachable cover element $[(4)]$, said the recess $[(8)]$ in combination with an edge $[(9)]$ of the housing $[(3)]$ forming the opening $[(10)]$ for $[(a)]$ the carrying strap $[(2)]$.

7. (Currently Amended) A portable electronic device according to ~~any one of claims 1-6, characterised in that~~ claim 1, wherein the detachable cover element $[(4)]$ is a battery cover.

8. (Currently Amended) A portable electronic device according to ~~any one of claims 1-7, characterised in that~~ claim 1, wherein the electronic device $[(1)]$ is a mobile radio station, ~~such as a mobile telephone.~~

9. (New) A portable electronic device according to claim 8, wherein the mobile radio station is a mobile telephone.